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Via UPS Priority Overnight / Express Mail

Mr. Jeff Cast Water and Hazardous Waste Specialist Dow Chemical Company 901 Loveridge Road Pittsburg, CA 94565

RE: Notice of Violation

Dow Chemical Company, EPA Identification Number CAD076528678

Dear Mr. Cast:

During our January 9, 2017 phone conversation you explained that the compact disk included with the January 6, 2017 Notice of Violation (attached) was unreadable. I apologize for that technical error and have burned a new disk containing the attachments to the April 4-8, 2016 Compliance Evaluation Inspection (CEI). If you have any trouble opening the attachments on the disk, please let me know as soon as possible

Dow's response to the Notice of Violation will be due 30 days from the date that Dow receives this letter and the CEI attachments. Please send your response to:

Rick Sakow Enforcement Division, Waste and Chemical Section (ENF-2-2) U.S. Environmental Protection Agency 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105

If you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (415) 972-3495 or via email at sakow.rick@epa.gov.

Sincerely,

Rick Sakow

Waste and Chemical Section

Enforcement Division

Attachments:

January 6, 2017 Notice of Violation and CD containing the CEI report and attachments